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C O N F I D E N T I A L CAPE TOWN 0598

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PFOR, WA, SF, UN
SUBJ: TALKS WITH SOUTH AFRICANS IN CAPE TOWN

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1. AFTER CONSULTING MY COLLEAGUES, I HAVE PROPOSED TO
FONMIN BOTHA THAT THE FIVE-POWER TALKS BE HELD IN CAPE
TOWN FROM APRIL 27-29. HE HAS SENT WORD BACK THROUGH
DFA SECRETARY BRAND FOURIE THAT THESE DATES ARE ACCEPTABLE.

2. FOURIE INDICATED THAT HE AND FONMIN BOTHA PLANNED TO
CONDUCT DISCUSSIONS WITH THE GROUP. PRIME MINISTER
VORSTER MAY ALSO WANT TO MEET WITH CONTACT GROUP BUT
THIS WILL DEPEND UPON CIRCUMSTANCES.

3. I HAVE ASKED MY COLLEAGUES ABOUT COMPOSITION OF THIER
DELEGATIONS. THEY DO NOT HAVE FIRM DESIGNATIONS YET BUT
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4. IN CONVERSATION WITH FONMIN BOTHA YESTERDAY, HE SPOKE
OF IMPORTANCE OF CONTACT GROUP MEETING WITH TURNAHALLE
LEADERS WHILE IN CAPE TOWN. I TOLD HIM I HAD NO INDICATION
THAT GHE CG WOULD WANT TO DO THIS AND THAT HE SHOULD NOT
RPT NOT LEAD TURNHALLE DELEGATES TO THINK THAT CG WISHED
TO DO SO. BOWDLER

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